

PURCHASING AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

12-0283R

RESOLUTION APPROVING ISSUANCE OF A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE TO DULUTH AMATEUR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION (BLUES FEST), BAYFRONT PARK, RIDGEVIEW COUNTRY CLUB, 700 WEST REDWING STREET, AND MINNESOTA CRAFT BREWER'S GUILD (ALL POINTS NORTH SUMMER BREW FEST 2012), BAYFRONT PARK.

CITY PROPOSAL:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the city council of the city of Duluth hereby approves issuance of the following temporary on sale intoxicating liquor licenses, subject to departmental approvals with any further restrictions and further subject to approval of the liquor control commissioner:

Duluth Amateur Hockey Association (Blues Fest), Bayfront Park, for August 10-12, 2012, with the serving ceasing at 10:00 p.m. with Clark Coole, manager.

Ridgeview Country Club, 700 West Redwing Street, for July 26-29, 2012, with Sue Seitz, manager.

Minnesota Craft Brewer's Guild (All Points North Summer Brew Fest 2012), Bayfront Park, for July 21, 2012, with Laura Mullen, Fest Coordinator.

Approved as to form:


Attorney

AGTC/CLK JJC/MAO:mao 6/22/2012

Alcohol, Gambling and Tobacco Commission discussion: 6/6/12

DULUTH AMATEUR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION, (BLUES FEST), BAYFRONT PARK - APPLICATION FOR A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR AUGUST 10-12, 2012, WITH CLARKE COOLE, MANAGER.

Ken Hanson, President of DAHA, was present on behalf of the application. To the boards questioning, he explained that in the past the Northland Vietnam Veterans have applied for this license and our organization has helped them. He acknowledged that due to the average age of the veterans, the NVVA requested that DAHA take over this project. Mr. Hanson noted that only adults would be involved in the selling and the police have approved the security to be used. Office Vang noted that the police officer hired would be checking identifications and see that only those individuals get a wrist ban to wear before being served. There being no further questions, Mr. Birchland moved that the APPLICATION OF DULUTH AMATEUR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION, (BLUES FEST), BAYFRONT PARK FOR A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR AUGUST 10-12, 2012, WITH CLARKE COOLE, MANAGER, be approved and the same be recommended to the city council for their approval. Mr. Stauber seconded the motion and it was unanimously carried.

RIDGEVIEW COUNTRY CLUB, 700 W. REDWING - APPLICATION FOR A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JULY 26-29, 2012, WITH SUE SEITZ, MANAGER.

JD Feriancek, Board Vice President, and Clint Johnson, General Manager, were present on behalf of the application. They reviewed that this is their annual golf tournament, and that this license is needed for this event to be able to serve alcohol to the public as they have a club license. Mr. Johnson noted that he has about 15 years in the food and beverage business as a bartender and experience with tournaments at Northland Country Club. There being no further discussion, Mr. Stauber moved that THE APPLICATION OF RIDGEVIEW COUNTRY CLUB, 700 W. REDWING FOR A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JULY 26-29, 2012, WITH SUE SEITZ, MANAGER, BE APPROVED, AND THE SAME BE RECOMMENDED TO THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL.

MINNESOTA CRAFT BREWER'S GUILD (ALL POINTS NORTH SUMMER BREW FEST 2012), BAYFRONT PARK - APPLICATION FOR A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JULY 21, 2012, WITH LAURA MULLEN, FEST COORDINATOR.

Laura Mullen was present on behalf of the application. She reviewed that she has been producing craft beer festivals for eleven years in the Twin Cities, and since the largest contingency of members are in greater Minnesota, they decided to hold a festival in Duluth for the first time. To further questioning, she handed out an outline of the event and organization. She noted that they would hope to have 35-40 vendors and attendance around 2,000-2,500. Officer Vang stated he has been working the event for security. There being no further discussion, Mr. Birchland moved that the APPLICATION OF MINNESOTA CRAFT BREWER'S GUILD (ALL POINTS NORTH SUMMER BREWFEST 2012), BAYFRONT PARK, FOR A TEMPORARY ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE FOR JULY 21, 2012, WITH LAURA MULLEN, FEST COORDINATOR be approved the same be recommended to the city council for their approval. Mr. Hickok seconded the motion and it was unanimously carried.